

COMMITTEE REPORT

MADAM PRESIDENT:

The Senate Committee on Health and Provider Services, to which was referred Senate Bill No. 268, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the Senate with the recommendation that said bill be AMENDED as follows:

- 1 Page 1, between the enacting clause and line 1, begin a new
- 2 paragraph and insert:
- 3 "SECTION 1. IC 16-18-2-5.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA
- 4 CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS
- 5 [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005]: **Sec. 5.5. "Adult stem cell" means an**
- 6 **undifferentiated cell that:**
- 7 **(1) is found in a differentiated tissue;**
- 8 **(2) is renewable; and**
- 9 **(3) yields specialized cell types with certain limitations of the**
- 10 **tissue from which it originated."**
- 11 Page 1, line 6, delete "include" and insert "**include:**
- 12 **(1)**".
- 13 Page 1, line 9, delete "(1)", begin a new line double block indented
- 14 and insert:
- 15 **"(A)"**.
- 16 Page 1, line 10, delete "(2)", begin a new line double block indented
- 17 and insert:
- 18 **"(B)"**.
- 19 Page 1, line 11, delete "(3)", begin a new line double block indented
- 20 and insert:
- 21 **"(C)"**.

Page 1, line 11, delete "transfer." and insert **"transfer; or**

(2) the following types of stem cell research:

(A) Adult stem cell.

(B) Fetal stem cell, as long as the biological parent has given written consent for the use of the fetal stem cells.

(C) Embryonic stem cells from lines that are permissible for use under federal law in effect on January 1, 2005. "

Page 1, between lines 11 and 12, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"SECTION 3. IC 16-18-2-128.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2005]: **Sec. 128.5. (a) "Fetal stem cell" means any of the following types of stem cells taken from a fetus that was either miscarried or stillborn:**

(1) Placenta.

(2) Umbilical cord.

(3) Amniotic fluid.

(b) The term does not include any cells that are taken as the result of an abortion unless the cells are permissible for use under federal law in effect on January 1, 2005."

Page 2, line 40, delete "the product of cloning" and insert **"a cloned human embryo"**.

Page 2, line 42, delete "the product of cloning;" and insert **"a cloned human embryo;"**.

Page 3, line 4, after "Sec. 3." insert **"(a)"**.

Page 3, between lines 6 and 7, begin a new paragraph and insert:

"(b) This section does not apply to the following:

(1) The transfer or receipt of hospital and medical expenses concerning a treatment or procedure to enhance human reproductive capability through the manipulation of human oocytes or embryos, including the following:

(A) In vitro fertilization.

(B) Gamete intrafallopian transfer.

(C) Zygote intrafallopian transfer.

(2) The following types of stem cell research:

(A) Adult stem cell.

- 1 **(B) Fetal stem cell, as long as the biological parent has**
- 2 **given written consent for the use of the fetal stem cells."**
- 3 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
 (Reference is to SB 268 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass .

Committee Vote: Yeas 9, Nays 0.

Senator Miller, Chairperson